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13	SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION	
14	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	CASE NO.: CV 20-07811 RS
15	Plaintiff,	
16	v.	
17 18	Approximately 69,370 Bitcoin (BTC), Bitcoin ) Gold (BTG), Bitcoin SV (BSV), and Bitcoin ) Cash (BCH) seized from )	DECLARATION OF PUBLICATION
19	1HQ3Go3ggs8pFnXuHVHRytPCq5fGG8Hbhx	
20   21	Defendant.	
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23	Notice of Civil Forfeiture was posted on an official government internet site	
24	(www.forfeiture.gov) for at least 30 consecutive days, beginning on November 27, 2020, as required by Rule G(4)(a)(iv)(C) of the Supplemental Rules for Admiralty or Maritime Claims and Asset Forfeiture Actions, as evidenced by Attachment 1.  I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on January 06,	
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$\begin{bmatrix} 27\\28 \end{bmatrix}$	2021 at San Francisco, CA.	
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Attachment 1

## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA COURT CASE NUMBER: CV 20-7811 RS; NOTICE OF FORFEITURE ACTION

Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 981, the United States filed a verified Complaint for Forfeiture against the following property:

Approximately 69,370.22491543 Bitcoin, Bitcoin Gold, Bitcoin SV, Bitcoin Cash (21-IRS-000008) which was seized from Individual X on November 03, 2020 at 1HQ3Go3ggs8pFnXuHVHRytPCq5fGG8Hbhx, located in San Francisco, CA

Any person claiming a legal interest in the Defendant Property must file a verified Claim with the court within 60 days from the first day of publication (November 27, 2020) of this Notice on this official government internet web site and an Answer to the complaint or motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure within 21 days thereafter. 18 U.S.C. § 983(h)(1) permits a court to impose a civil fine on anyone asserting an interest in property which the court determines was frivolous.

The verified Claim and Answer must be filed with the Clerk of the Court, 450 Golden Gate Avenue, 16th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94102, and copies of each served upon Assistant United States Attorney David Countryman, 450 Golden Gate Avenue, 9th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94102, or default and forfeiture will be ordered. See, 18 U.S.C. § 983(a)(4) (A) and Rule G(5) of the Supplemental Rules for Admiralty or Maritime Claims and Asset Forfeiture Actions.

The government may also consider granting petitions for remission or mitigation, which pardon all or part of the property from the forfeiture. A petition must include a description of your interest in the property supported by documentation; include any facts you believe justify the return of the property; and be signed under oath, subject to the penalty of perjury, or meet the requirements of an unsworn statement under penalty of perjury. See 28 U.S.C. Section 1746. For the regulations pertaining to remission or mitigation of the forfeiture, see 28 C.F.R. Sections 9.1 - 9.9. The criteria for remission of the forfeiture are found at 28 C.F.R. Section 9.5(a). The criteria for mitigation of the forfeiture are found at 28 C.F.R. Section 9.5(b). The petition need not be made in any particular form and may be filed online or in writing. You should file a petition not later than 11:59 PM EST 30 days after the date of final publication of this notice. See 28 C.F.R. Section 9.3(a). The https://www.forfeiture.gov/FilingPetition.htm website provides access to a standard petition form that may be mailed and the link to file a petition online. If you cannot find the desired assets online, you must file your petition in writing by sending it to Assistant United States Attorney David Countryman, 450 Golden Gate Avenue, 9th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94102. This website provides answers to frequently asked questions (FAQs) about filing a petition. You may file both a verified claim with the court and a petition for remission or mitigation.